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SUBJECT: "HARDLINE TOWARD CANADA SIGNALLED IN CRUSHING U.S. SENATE
VOTE" - FINANCIAL POST

1. SUBJECT HEADING WAS HEADLINE OF WASHINGTON DATELINED STORY IN
MAY 7 EDITION OF FINANCIAL POST, REFERRING TO PROPOSED GOLDWATER-
INOUE AMENDMENT EXEMPTING CANADA, MEXICO, BERMUDA, AND CARIBBEAN
FROM TAX LAW PROVISIONS GOVERNING ATTENDANCE AT FOREIGN CONVENTIONS.
STORY QUOTES SENATORS KENNEDY AND MAGNUSON AS LINKING THAT ISSUE WITH
BORDER TV ISSUE.

2. STORY CALLED VOTE "AN OMINOUS WARNING". "THE UNDERLYING
MESSAGE" IT CONTINUES IS THAT "THE U.S. SEEMS TO BE IN A MOOD TO PUSH
ITS CONSIDERABLE WEIGHT AROUND TO GET WHAT IT WANTS, THE MERITS OF
THE CASE NOTWITHSTANDING. OTTAWA, IN OTHER WORDS, MAY HAVE TO
RETHINK ITS CURRENT STRATEGY OF DEALING QUIETLY AND RATIONALLY
WITH THE U.S. ON CONTROVERSIAL BILATERAL ISSUES."

3. ACCORDING TO STORY, SENATE VOTE PROMPTED HOTEL ASSOCIATION OF
OF CANADA TO PETITION PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTERS OF INDUSTRY,
FIANCE, AND EXTERNAL AFFAIRS TO AMEND BILL C-58 AFFECTING U.S.
BORDER TV COMMERCIALS.
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